



Centers for Disease Control
and Prevention (CDC)
Atlanta GA 30333
April 20, 2017

Larry Gottesman, FOIA Officer
National Freedom of Information Officer
U.S. Environmental Protection Agency
1200 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW (2822T)
Washington, District of Columbia 20460

Dear Mr. Gottesman:

The Centers for Disease Control received the enclosed Freedom of Information Act request from James Everett Dutschke #15536-042. Mr. Dutschke #15536-042 is seeking NCEH lab analysis of samples submitted by EPA as part of 2013 Ricin investigation.

Documents belonging to your agency are being referred to you for your review and direct response to the requester. A total of 11 pages are referred.

☒ CDC has redacted portions of our equities within these pages. The requester may administratively appeal CDC's withholdings by writing to the Deputy Agency Chief FOIA Officer; Office of the Assistant Secretary for Public Affairs; U.S. Department of Health and Human Services; 5600 Fishers Lane, Room 19-01; Rockville, Maryland 20857. Both the appeal letter and envelope should be marked "FOIA Appeal." The appeal must be postmarked or electronically transmitted within 90 days of the date of the final response letter.

We have advised the requester of this referral to your agency (CDC's final response letter enclosed).

If you have any questions about this referral, please contact Karen La Rue at 770-488-6338.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Roger Andoh", is positioned below the word "Sincerely,".

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Enclosures

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